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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231 GROUP 3600

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action 13 February 2002, the time to respond being today, please enter the following amendments:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Beginning at line 1 of sheet 5, delete the existing paragraph through line 11 and replace it with the following paragraph (shown in clean form – see separate sheet entitled "Appendix A" for the redlined version):

--upward and the cushion extends forwardly from the frame to provide a seat, and a second position in which in which the seat portion of the frame extends upwardly and the backrest portion slopes downwardly with the cushion resting thereon to present a reclining